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SUBJECT: REVIEW OF ASIAN AID AND MAP PROGRAMS

1. DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE (IGA)

JOHN P. CONSTANDY AND DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF INSPECTIONS, IGA,

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SEYMOUR RUBIN PLAN TO VISIT TAIWAN, VIETNAM, CAMBODIA AND
THAILAND TO REVIEW AND DISCUSS ASPECTS OF PROGRAMS RELATING

TO MILITARY AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE. BOTH CLEARED FOR TOP SECRET. PREFER PROTOCOL BE HELD TO MINIMUM. NO CONTACT WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS NECESSARY UNLESS EMBASSY DETERMINES DESIRABLE.

2. PARTY WILL ARRIVE HONOLULU DECEMBER 4 VIA VA FLIGHT 97 AT 1700 HOURS. THEY WILL DEPART DECEMBER 6 PA FLIGHT 831 AT 1345 HOURS. DESIRE DISCUSSIONS OF MAP OPERATIONS IN TAIWAN, CAMBODIA AND THAILAND WITH J-8. PRIMARY AREAS OF CONCERN ARE DETERMINATION, DECLARATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF EXCESSES AND UPDATE BRIEFING ON ACTIONS BEING TAKEN WITH RESPECT TO POSSIBLE SHIFT OF DAV TO MAP.

3. PARTY WILL ARRIVE TAIPEI DECEMBER 7 VIA CX FLIGHT 451 AT 2105 HOURS AND WILL DEPART DECEMBER 10 VIA CI FLIGHT 805 AT 1430 HOURS. DESIRE DISCUSSION WITH MAAG RE DECLARATION OF MAP EXCESSES GENERALLY AND MAP-CB AIR MUNITIONS REQUIREMENTS SPECIFICALLY (CINCPAC 190309Z OCT 74).

4. PARTY WILL ARRIVE IN SAIGON DECEMBER 10 VIA VN FLIGHT 721 AT 2005 HOURS. PRIMARY AREA OF VN CONCERN IS ECONOMIC PROGRAMS INVOLVING PROCUREMENT OF POL AND OPERATIONS OF RESETTLEMENT CAMPS. PARTY WOULD ALSO LIKE TO MEET WITH USDAO TO DISCUSS MILITARY PROGRAMS IN LIGHT OF POSSIBLE SHIFT FROM DAV TO MAP. PLEASE RESERVE SPACE FOR MR. CONSTANDY ON THE AIR AMERICA FLIGHT TO PHNOM PENH MORNING OF DECEMBER 13. MR. RUBIN WILL DEPART TG FLIGHT 20L DECEMBER 13 AT 1140 HOURS FOR BANGKOK.

5. MR. CONSTANDY PLANS TO ARRIVE IN PHNOM PENH THE MORNING OF DECEMBER 13 ON AIR AMERICA FLIGHT. DESIRE DISCUSSIONS WITH (1) CHMEDTC ON WEAPONS DENSITY AND MAP EXCESS UTILIZATION; (2) USAID ON VOLAGS AND RICE. HE WILL DEPART VN FLIGHT 780 FOR BANGKOK DECEMBER 17 AT 0930 HOURS. EMBASSY PREVIOUSLY ADVISED DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL NOT SUBJECT TO HEADCOUNT RESTRICTION.

6. MR. RUBIN WILL ARRIVE BANGKOK DECEMBER 13 AT 1155 HOURS. MR. CONSTANDY WILL ARRIVE IN BANGKOK DECEMBER 17
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AT 1025 HOURS FOR REVIEW IGA INSPECTION WORK IN PROCESS AND PARTICIPATION IN EXIT CONFERENCE TENTATIVELY PLANNED DECEMBER 19.

7. CINCPAC AND EMBASSIES ARE REQUESTED TO MEET AND RESERVE SINGLE HOTEL ROOMS PER ABOVE ITINERARY:

HONOLULU, REEF OR REEF TOWERS
TAIPEI, AMBASSADOR
SAIGON, EMBASSY

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